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FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 1891.

DIVISION OF THE MOOSE JAW DISTRICT.

The following despatch comes from
Ottawa:—"The Schedule for the North
West bill is not completed, but it is
understood the Government have de-
cided to increase the representation
four members instead of three, as first
proposed: one from Alberta, one from
Saskatchewan, and two from Assiniboia.
The latter representative comes
from Moose Jaw district, which will be
divided by the Canadian Pacific rail-
way track."

The news that this electoral district
is to be given additional representation
in the Assembly will be received with
satisfaction. The district is altogether
too large and too populous for one
member to do justice to every part, and
the action of Mr. Dewdney in giving
increased representation is a recognition
of the fact that this district is filling
up with settlers, as rapidly, if not
more so, as any other part of the North
West. Moose Jaw, north, and Moose
Jaw, south, will make two respectable
constituencies which will be an honor
to the persons chosen to represent them
in our local Legislature.

THE NORTH WEST BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Our bellicose contemporary, the
Herald Standard, in its issue of August
21st, is not at all pleased with the way
in which the Northwest Board of Edu-
cation is conducting the educational
affairs of this country. Under the head-
ing "Away with it," the Board is re-
ferred to as follows:—

"For profound stupidity and gross inco-
herence the Board of Education for these
Territories must be awarded the palm. Al-
though the examination of candidates for
teachers' certificates was held early in July,
the results are not to be made known until
sometime in September. Many schools are
now vacant. Those teachers whose certifi-
cates expired on July 1st and whose schools
are awaiting them, cannot re-engage. Their
places are being filled by recent importations.
They are being crowded out. The credit
fugues who command the situation seem
quite unconcerned. To provide against such
contingencies, the Board should have
more with alacrity, would not be in keep-
ing with their dignity. To accept sugges-
tions from Teachers' Associations, or to con-
sult the inspectors would be equally unbecom-
ing."

In the Province of Manitoba, the results
were announced and in good time to enable
the successful ones to engage for the
Autumn term. No proper excuse
can be advanced for the delay here.
Our antiquated Board is today the greatest
and almost the only drawback to the edu-
cational progress of the Territories."

To any one at all familiar with the
regulations of the Board of Education
and the working of our Educational
system, the above quotation must ap-
pear very ridiculous. The writer of
the article has evidently chosen a sub-
ject of which he has not the slightest
knowledge, and, in our opinion, "for
profound stupidity and gross incoher-
ence" might take the palm, even from
the Board of Education. The Board, be-
ing public servants, can not object to
intelligent criticism of their actions,
but when an article appears in print,
so manifestly unfair and misleading as
the above, it is time that the real facts
of the case be made known.

The statement that many schools are
now vacant, through lack of teachers,
is untrue, and we would like the Stand-
ard to point to a single instance where
such is the case, or to an instance
where "recent importations" are taking
the place of teachers waiting to hear the
result of the examination. In the first
place the certificates do not expire on
July 1st, but are valid until the re-
sult of the examination is made known,
should that be in December. We can
point to several cases where teachers
who wrote on the examination for cer-
tificates are still teaching and will
continue to teach until the result is
published. We also understand from
the report of the Board of Education re-
Normal schools, that no more cer-
tificates are to be granted to candidates
who have never taught, until after tak-
ing a professional course at the Normal
school. Even if they do pass, they are
not eligible as teachers.

The examinations are held in July,
to accommodate the teachers, as that is
the month in which the majority of them
have their holidays. Now, this is a
large country and in some cases the
papers of the candidates do not reach
the examiners until well on in
August. These have then to be read
and marked, the report submitted to
the full Board of Examiners, and by
that it is an utter impossibility for the
report to be published earlier than
September. The example of Manitoba
is not to the point. That is a small
province, with direct communication
from Winnipeg to all outside points,
and in no case does more than a few
days elapse between the examination
and the papers reaching the examiners.
A large staff of Examiners is employ-
ed, and in Manitoba, a teacher does not
receive a certificate to teach until after

attending a session at the Provincial
Normal School and passing a profes-
sional examination. We know it to be
a fact, that the Inspectors are always
consulted when any matter comes up
before the Board, requiring such con-
sideration, and that the Board are al-
ways pleased to receive suggestions
from Teachers' Associations, regarding
the working of our Educational system.
The North West Board of Education
are gentlemen eminent in their chosen
professions, and well posted in Educa-
tional matters. If our educational
system is not so perfect as we could
desire, it is more on account of the
circumstances attendant on the settle-
ment of a new country than to lack of
ability in the members of the Board of
Education.

THE CROPS.

The staple industry of Manitoba
and Assiniboia is as yet, wheat raising
and anything affecting the yield or
sample of that cereal affects in like
proportion the commercial prosperity
of the country. After a time, when the
country becomes more thickly settled,
and the farmers come to seem more clearly
the advantages of mixed farming, so
much dependence will not be placed on
grain raising alone. The past week
has been an anxious and critical time
for the prairie farmers. A cold wave
passed over the country on Friday and
Saturday and the nearly matured grain
in some parts of the country had a
close call. From some points, light
frosts are reported but it is not con-
sidered that any considerable damage
has been done. Below we give reports
from different sections of the country
gathered from our exchanges and from
special despatches secured by the C.
P. R. telegraph service.

In the Moose Jaw district there has
not been this season, the slightest trace
of frost. Last Friday and Saturday
nights, the lowest temperature regis-
tered on the thermometer was 35 de-
grees—4 degrees above freezing point.
Harvesting is in full swing and by Sat-
urday night a great deal of early grain
will be in the stack. The later grain
will require a couple of weeks longer
to fully ripen but with another week
of the present warm weather will be
out of reach of injury from frost. An
idea of the condition of the crop may
be gathered from the fact that farmers
report that on an average throughout
the district, each acre of grain will
take between three and four pounds of
twine. In some cases 4½ lbs. are re-
ported. Last season the average was
barely 1½ pounds per acre. The heads
are completely filled with good plump
berries, of fine color, and the sample
as well as the yield will be away ahead
of that of any previous year. Thrash-
ers are getting their machines in order
for a lively season's work, and the pros-
pects are that all the machines in the
district will have more than they can
do. Everybody is feeling jubilant over
the prospect, and every farmer believes
that he has located on the very best
section in the very best district in the
best farming country in the world.

The Regina Leader says:—After
most searching inquiries we are in a
position to say there has been absolutely
no frost in the Regina district this
fall, nor is there any likelihood of
freezing weather coming on as before
the grain is safely harvested. Mr.
Dixie Watson arrived on Saturday
night overland from Fort Qu'Appelle,
having passed through the blizzard country.
He says there is no sign of frost any-
where. Potatoes are untouched. He
saw Mr. Barton and other leading
farmers and they all deny that frost
has visited that locality. A report
came from a little east of here that
potato tops were touched, but it has
not been confirmed and is probably un-
true. The last few days have been
ideal harvest weather and on Sunday
especially the temperature was tropical.
Sunday night was one of the warmest
nights of the year. We have also
heard by wire from several outside
points and there has been no frost.

The Winnipeg Free Press of Aug. 24,
says:—The cold wave which set in
on Friday afternoon spent its force yes-
terday morning and warmer weather is
predicted for some days to come.
While it lasted it caused universal anxi-
ety, there being so direct a connection
between the harvest and the personal
fortunes of every resident of the pro-
vince. In the city there was no frost.
Friday night the minimum reading by
Mr. Bliss was 42, though St. John's
observatory situated in a more exposed
portion of the city recorded 38.

Saturday was spent in apprehension as to
what the night would bring. Again
however the thermometer failed to in-
dicate that there was any real danger,
41.5 being the lowest reading.

Weather observer Bliss writes to the
Free Press that there is little danger
of frost to be apprehended for the bal-
ance of the season. In it he says:
"Referring to my notes of 1889 and
1890, I find frost as follows: In 1889,
on Aug. 4th one degree, but prior to
and after that day for the balance
of August the temperature stood twelve
above frost. For Sept. in 1889 we had
frost on 14th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 21st,

25th, 26th and 28th, but at no time
exceeding 34 degrees. In 1890, during
the month of August, no frost until the
22nd and then only 2 degrees, the bal-
ance of the month being fine and simi-
lar to the weather of this month. In
Sept., 1890, we had frost on 13th, 14th,
15th, 19th, 24th and 27th, and the low-
est number of degrees recorded was 2
below freezing point. I feel convinced
after this test and comparison I have
made, that we will not have any frost
until the middle of next month."

Carberry, Aug. 23.—There was a
slight frost in places Saturday morning.
Opinions are contradictory, nothing is
certain as yet. The damage if any is
thought to be light. The farmers
anxiously freely.

Birtle, Aug. 23.—There was no frost
last night: lowest temperature 38; to-
day the highest temperature 75. Crops
are looking excellent and ripening fast.
Wheat cutting will be general this
week. Already two hundred acres
have been cut in this vicinity. The
yield twenty-five to thirty bushels per
acre. The oat crop is a little late but
the yield will be large. Some barley
has been cut but the acreage is small.

Manitow, Aug. 23.—There has been
no damage from frost yet, though two
and three degrees below freezing were
reported in the Pembina valley and
other low places both Friday and Sat-
urday night. The wind is now south,
the thermometer records 60 and all
danger is past. All the crops are extra
good, but late. Cutting has commenced,
but will not be general for another
week.

Deloraine, Aug. 23.—Harvest started
here on the 13th, and will be general
on Monday. The crops could not
possibly be better. There has been no
damage whatever by frost. The bind-
ing of the straw is short, and the bind-
ers can hardly handle the crop owing to
the length of the straw.

Monken, Aug. 23.—There has been
no damage here. It was cold, but the
lowest temperature was 35, on Saturday
night.

Killarney, Aug. 23.—There was no
frost last night. The grain is ripening
fast. Several farmers will commence
cutting wheat on Monday.

Neepawa, Aug. 23.—The thermom-
eter reached 34 Friday night. There
was frost last night; the lowest
point reached was 40. Crops are look-
ing splendid. The wheat harvest will
be general to-morrow. Oat and bar-
ley harvest will be a little late, and
will not start till next week. Root
crop was never better.

Brandon, Aug. 23.—The frost of
Friday and Saturday nights has done
no damage whatever to the crops south
of Brandon. To the north of Brandon
several low places the effects of frost
will be felt slightly. Harvesting will
be general throughout the whole dis-
trict by the middle of this week.

Prince Albert, Aug. 23.—The lowest
reading of the thermometer at Prince
Albert this season was 32 degrees, con-
sequently there has been no damage to
grain. Harvesting is general, many
farmers having finished. All the grain
is in magnificent condition, and perfect
harvest weather prevailing. Several
new settlers arrived here by today's
train.

Portage la Prairie, Aug. 23.—The
people here were anxious for the crops
Friday and Saturday night. However,
we had no frost, and the weather is
warm to-night. Crops are ripening, but
will require a few days before cutting
is very general.

PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.

The annual picnic of the Presby-
terian Sunday School, held on Wednesday
afternoon, was a decided success, being
attended by a large number of people.
A pleasant time was spent and the
young folk thoroughly enjoyed them-
selves. A good programme of sports
had been arranged, and was carried
through with the following result:—

100 yard race, Boys under 18, 1st Page
Porter; 2nd Frank Bedford.
100 yard race, Boys under 14, 1st C.
Taylor; 2nd Hugh McLean; 3rd J. Hood.
50 yard race, Boys under 10, 1st N. Mc-
rean; 2nd Tom Walsh; 3rd W. Jones.
Young Ladies of the Bible Class, 1st Miss
McAllum; 2nd Miss Naimish; 3rd Miss
Bennett.

50 yard race, Girls 15 and under, 1st
Maggie Matheson; 2nd Nellie Morrison;
3rd Mabel Jones.
50 yard race, Girls under 12, 1st Maud
Rolls; 2nd Winnie McLean; 3rd Maggie
Four.

Three Legged race, under 16, 1st Finley
and Hood; 2nd Sharps and Bull.
Three Legged race, under 14, 1st N. Mc-
rean and A. Morrison; 2nd W. McBride
and J. Simington.

Running Jump, Boys under 14, 1st Page
Porter; 2nd Walter Simington.
Running Jump Boys under 11, 1st C.
Taylor; 2nd Hugh McLean.

Primary Class Race. In these there were
eight prizes given to the boys and girls,
among the winners were George Miller, Jen-
nie Porter, Vera Aldley, Thompson, Ar-
strong, M. Morrison, Lyle and others.
Special prizes were given to all comers as
follows:—

100 yard race, Boys under 16, 1st Walter
Simington; 2nd Willie Sharps; 3rd N.
Bellamy; 4th Charlie Taylor.
Hop, Step, and Jump, Boys under 14, 1st
Page Porter; 2nd Walter Simington.
Hop, Step, and Jump, Boys under 11, 1st
C. Taylor; 2nd Latham.

NORTH WEST NOTES.

The attempt of some of the citizens
of Medicine Hat to secure the in-
corporation of that town has been de-
feated.

Dr. Oliver of Medicine Hat is ly-
ing at the Hospital with Typhoid
fever.

There will be nearly 14,000 bushels
of grain threshed on the C. A. C. &
C. Co's farm at Danneberg this season.

H. S. Freshbrook, a well known im-
plement man of Winnipeg returned
last Wednesday to the city after travel-
ing for a month through the wheat
belt of Manitoba and the North West.
He said to a reporter that the crop
is the best that he ever saw in his
fourteen years residence in the North
West.

Speaking for its own Northwest par-
ticularly, the Minneapolis Journal says:
"Within 10 years the Northwest will
have its choice of seaward routes—by
Hudson Bay, by the Canadian Great
water system and by the Hudson and
Erie and Buffalo ship canal and im-
proved lake navigation between Buf-
falo and Duluth. These things will
all minister to Northwestern commerce
and agriculture."

Mr. R. Pritchard, mail contractor
between Prince Albert and Kinsella,
and his two sons met with painful but
not dangerous injuries in a recent run-
away accident.

Some practical jokes shot two pigs,
belonging to Mr. R. Warner, in the
Orange hotel at Minneapolis. The pigs
were and actually raised a banner be-
longing to the society, valued at \$60.

Calgary, Aug. 21.—A number of
delegates from different local associa-
tions met at Calgary on Friday last for
the purpose of forming themselves into
a Northwest racing association. Some
of the most prominent horsemen in the
country were present. H. Lawson
represented Regina; Lawson, Lucas
and Rawlinson, Calgary; O'Hara, Far-
quhar and Grewy, Maple Creek; Thos.
Stone, Medicine Hat; Benton, Cam-
mington Manor; McIntosh, Qu'Appelle;
Cotttingham Lethbridge; W. H. Patrick
MacLeod; Dr. Colton, Regina; Lassells
Moose Jaw; Law, Winnipeg; Ham-
mond, Flincher, Calgary; and several
others. The election of officers result-
ed as follows:—

President, Lawson, Regina; first
vice-president, Lucas, Calgary; second
vice-president, Pocklington, MacLeod;
secretary-treasurer, Farquhar, Maple
Creek.

A meeting will be held at Regina in
September next, for the purpose of dis-
cussing the question of the North West
University. All graduates residing in
the Territories are requested to attend.

Messrs. Boswell, Hamilton, Barrows,
Irvin, Cotton and Buchanan are said to
be among the applicants for the po-
sition of warden of the Stony Mountain
penitentiary.

The Lakes of the Woods Milling com-
pany will absorb the Portage Milling
company on September 1, taking over
the entire plant. It is proposed to
erect an addition to the mill at the
Portage, with a capacity of 300 barrels
per day, making the total capacity 800
barrels. It will be one of the largest
mills in Canada.

The Anglican Bishop of Calgary has
made the following appointments: The
Rev. Ronald Hilton, incumbent of
Christ church, Macleod, to be Rural
Dean of Macleod, vice the Rev. J. F.
Pritchard, who has gone to the diocese
of Montana; The Rev. Edward Bell-
ock Jackson, to be Rector of St. Agathe
parish, Lethbridge.

The Northwest Medical association
has elected the following officers for
the ensuing year: President, Dr. Bain,
Prince Albert; vice-president for Sas-
katchewan, Dr. Parrie, of Battleford;
vice-president for Assiniboia, Dr. Turn-
bull, of Moose Jaw; vice-president for
Alberta, Dr. Mackin, of Calgary;
secretary-treasurer, Dr. Brett of Banff.

The Calgary Herald warns the people
that a Winnipeg whiskey inferno has
arrived here and advises them to
give him a cold shoulder should he make
a call.

Calgary, Aug. 21.—The first train to
Edmonton under the C. P. R. manage-
ment left this morning. It is a little
over one year since the first and was
turned. Graders are now at work on
the McLeod extension 50 miles south
of here, Keith's outfit having moved to
Mosquito Creek yesterday. About 5 miles
of the track from Calgary Junction has
also been laid. The whole of the sur-
face grading from the north have been
erected. Work on this branch will be vig-
orously pushed forward. The contractors
think they can reach McLeod be-
fore winter sets in.

Calgary, Aug. 21.—A French half-
breed named Francis Bismarck was
killed at Sheep Creek Saturday by be-
ing thrown from a wagon in which a
number of companions were. His neck
was broken. Coroner Telford will
hold an inquest.

The Macleod Gazette is in receipt of
information to the effect that Calgary
& Edmonton railway engineers are at
work south of Mosquito Creek. It is
said that the road will cross Mosquito
Creek close to Trullinger's old place.
Macleod people may prepare themselves
for the completion of the road this fall.

BABY'S GOT A BEAT.

Getting Around It.
She ain't nothin' but a baby!
'Twa'n't but yistidday—I sware
It don't seem so—since then mine eyes,

Just as blue as they be now,
That looked up in her old dad's brow.

From our mother's house! And
 That I'm not a girl, but a boy!
 That our baby's got a head!

Why, we're all called her "baby."
 My mother and mother. Tommy too!
 Land a power! She's a
 Of the big an' beautiful set!
 That's the way it goes, an' mostly
 Lighted out, when she say, in
 That she's not in their circle!
 An' how they say it!

Why, 'tain't no time since I see her
 Lay a-playin' with her 'babe!
 Or with her 'n' other little
 Mine's like all the rest, 's'pose!
 Mightn't guess her, when I see her
 Or with her 'n' other little
 From her cradle as her 'n' other!
 To the baby's a play!

I kin see her pettin' bigger
 See her toddlin' at my side,
 Joy the sweetest little creature,
 Takin' a dance, 'n' a ride!

I kin see her pettin' bigger
 Can't see her 'n' other little
 But I can't see how it comes her
 Think that baby's got a head!

CORN! I wouldn't keep her things
 if I could give 'em a penny for 'em.
 Mother's in her hen's too happy
 Not to want the same as I am.
 If good married ones is sweetest
 And I'm not a married man.
 At these times I'm not getting rid of—
 To think I don't get a hen!
 — M. R. B., in Boston Globe.

The Farm at Drak.
 When milking time is done, and over all
 The quiet Peacefield island forms—
 The wind comes from the west, the shadows
 Come, and with peace and twilight mists
 Fall.
 The wind-mill's wheeling—strong in toffened
 steel—
 The tired plough-horses turn—the hayracks
 Soft to their feet—and in the sky's pale
 like remnant shows the swooping night-hawk
 then, while the crickets pipe, and frogs are
 down.
 And the slow brook's edge, the pasture
 here, and there, and the cattle wander through
 the grass—
 Above the very grass wide comes the moon,
 and the dark disk surrounded
 by stars.
Frank's Companion.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.
 The French Government Lays Bull down
 hours daily as the limit for men's labor.
 Large quantities of sin and whiskey have

The village of Montaña Grande, on the P.R., was almost wiped out by fire last night.

The northern part of the city of Sofia, Bulgaria, has been almost destroyed by a hurricane.

The anniversary of the engagement at Iwo Jima in '66 will be commemorated in Iwo to-day.

The Argentine Republic has determined to insist on the payment of Customs dues since the amount must be payable in gold.

C. C. Brown, a millionaire banker of Philadelphia, Wis., committed suicide last night by shooting himself. He had been ill, and was temporarily insane.

[illegible]

The body of Ida Bonney, who was one of the victims of the boating accident on the river at London, last Monday, was found near a wreck Sunday morning near the same place. The body was found in a wooden box, it is supposed by coming in contact with the timbers in the farm.

The new ocean grayhound Mormaco, which arrived at New York on Friday, had a rough trip. The ship was hit by a storm. In the midst of a fiasco for her captain suddenly signalled an immense iceberg at her path. Her presence of mind was shown when she labored him to clear the danger in such a manner that she only saved the iceberg.

Mrs. Parsona, Chicago, in a speech at the Anti-Slavery Convention at Worcester, said dynamite was no longer the terror of the human race. Now that people should go round with bombs and dynamite, she suggested that we should abolish the power of the bomb.

[illegible]

Colonel Fargher—Well, how did you like it?
Ginohy—I was so glad to get home in time that I was glad I was.

Arabi Pasha a few years ago was a handsome, black-haired man with a flowing beard and a noble, gentle face. He was ill and complains that his sufferings from the hot and humid climate of Egypt. Nobody would think of calling him a Turk.

Mrs. Wassonmaker has introduced a new id in Washington, and has a class of young women meet at his residence twice a week, where a professor of physical games teaches them how to walk, to stoop, to sit up and down stairs, to bow, to smile, to suppress the hands.

The Duke of Connaught arrived yesterday in Winnipeg, and was presented with

FLY PADS!

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DRUG STORE.

The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 1901.

TOWN and COUNTRY.

Rev. John Tozeland of QoAppelle will preach the missionary sermon in the Methodist Church Moose Jaw and Wesley Church, on Sept. 12th.

Dr. Scott of Moose Jaw, came up on Monday evening to visit his father, Mr. Geo. Scott of this town, who is at present dangerously ill.

MONEY TO LOAN—Private Funds on Improved Real Estate, J. G. Galt.

A meeting will be held in the office of the Moose Jaw Electric Light and Power Company, on Tuesday evening next, for the purpose of discussing the advisability of organizing a Curling Club in town.

A meeting of the shareholders in the proposed Milling Company will be held in the Brunswick Hall on Friday Sept. 14th, for the purpose of appointing Provisional Directors and taking steps re incorporation.

Mr. Wm. Moffat of the Buffalo Lake district cut 20 acres of oats last week which took 95 lbs. of twine, nearly 1 1/2 lbs. per acre. The sheaves were said to almost cover the ground.

TO LET—Two First Class Furnished Rooms. Apply at the Times Office.

Harvesting operations are general in the Buffalo Lake district, and the merry hum of the binder is heard from early morn till dewy eve. Barley and oats are nearly all cut and a large number of the farmers are busy at their wheat.

Mr. F. R. Golin, manager of the Union Bank, and Mr. W. G. Cleveland, druggist, two members of the Lethbridge lawn tennis club, passed through Moose Jaw on Tuesday evening's express, en route for Winnipeg where they will take part in the lawn tennis tournament there, this week.

Canada Permanent Loan and Savings Co. Money to Loan. Apply to Wm. Grayson.

Mr. J. A. Kammerer, western representative of the Royal Electric Light Company of Montreal spent last Saturday and Sunday in town. He left for Varden on Monday where he is negotiating with a local company for a plant for that town. Since entering the employ of the Royal Company, Mr. Kammerer has risen step by step, and at the present time has an offer of one of the best agencies in the service, which should be accepted will necessitate the removal of his family from Moose Jaw to Toronto. J. A. K. is a hustler, and is sure to succeed in his new sphere of labor.

Mr. G. E. Holdsworth of the C. P. R. moved into his new brick dwelling house on Manitoba street on Monday last. Mr. Holdsworth has now as neat and comfortable a residence as there is to be found in town. It is 18x24 ft., 1 1/2 stories high, with kitchen at rear. The cottage was designed and built by Mr. James Brass contractor and is a credit to the skill of the builder. The inside is finished in oil and varnish, and shows the graining of the wood to perfection. Mr. T. J. Hannah had charge of this part of the work and did it in a manner that is alike creditable to himself and satisfactory to the owner and the builder. He hopes that Mr. and Mrs. Holdsworth may live long to enjoy their new home.

Go to Bellamy's for the Celebrated Doherty Organ, Egan's Piano and White Sewing Machine.

The regular meeting of the Moose Jaw School board was held on Friday night last. Present—Messrs. Sharpe, Naismith, Hannah and Baker. Mr. Sharpe was elected chairman of the meeting. The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. A communication was received from Mr. Seymour Green, requesting that the school be closed for half a day to allow the children an opportunity of attending the Presbyterian Sunday School picnic on the 26th inst., which on motion of Messrs. Baker and Hannah was granted. The accounts of J. N. McDonald for \$29.00 for printing; of Richard Snares for \$10.00; H. W. Bole for \$2.40, were ordered to be paid. The accounts of John Bellamy and J. T. Simpson were laid over until next meeting of Board. Principal Calder was present and gave a list of supplies required for the school, which were ordered to be procured. On motion of Messrs. Naismith and Hannah, Mr. Calder was given entire charge of the school and the teachers therein, and that he be requested to visit the other rooms and supervise the teaching throughout the school and that the Board will hold him responsible for the conduct and progress of the school and the proper grading of the children.

Conductor W. A. Burton, returned last night from a month's holiday trip to the Coast.

Mr. J. E. Battell, arrived from Ontario this morning with a fine car load of general purpose Ontario mares, which he is offering for sale.

Mr. R. L. Alexander has been out through the district canvassing among the farmers for stock for the Moose Jaw Milling Company. He was accompanied by Messrs. S. K. Rathwell and Captain C. Smith.

Prof. Wm. Saunders, Director of the Dominion Government Experimental farms, accompanied by his daughter Miss Saunders arrived in town this a.m. Prof. Saunders is being driven this afternoon through the district to see the crops, of which he reports having heard glowing accounts.

A passenger fell off No. 1 express on Thursday morning, near Parkburg. He was found some time afterwards and was brought to Moose Jaw on a freight train. Dr. Turnbull was called in and attended to the unfortunate man. His injuries are serious, but it is thought that he will recover. He was sent to the Medicine Hat hospital this morning.

The Census returns were laid before the House on Wednesday last. The population of the Dominion is 4,823,344; an increase of 488,534 or a little over 10 per cent. in the past decade. Manitoba shows an increase of 118.01 per cent., and the North West of 140.28 per cent. The population of Manitoba at the present time is 154,442, and of the Territories 61,487. British Columbia has 92,767, an increase of 87.56 per cent.

The Annual Financial District meeting of the Regina District of the Methodist Church was held at Wolsley on Tuesday 25th inst. Present—Revs. J. M. Harrison, chairman, Dr. McLean, Secretary, Tozeland, Dickenson, Whitehead, Bennie, Steed, Musselman, Hull, Messrs. J. J. Young, R. P. Richardson, G. Anderson, Magee, F. Dutt.

The financial progress of the district has been very marked during the year, several new churches having been built and other property acquired. New mission fields have been opened, and the staff of ministers and the church membership increased. Arrangements were made for the Annual Educational and Missionary meeting, also meetings on behalf of Wesley College. A District Association was formed for the purpose of reading and hearing papers, and discussing questions in relation to the religious development of the North West and the broadening and deepening of the culture of the members of the Association. The Association will meet in Regina in the latter part of January. A very interesting programme is already in course of preparation, which will include two days and promises to be a very interesting affair. The meetings of the Association will be open to the general public.

The examination of probationers for the ministry will be held at Regina in April. The next Annual District meeting will be held at Wolsley in May 1892.

In the evening a public session was held at which addresses were given by Revs. Mr. Dickenson, Dr. McLean and Mr. Buckler.

What Moose Jaw Has

A population of 1100 people. A Mayor and Council. A Brass Band, Lacrosse, Baseball, Cricket and Lawn tennis clubs. A Fall Exhibition. Streets, 100 ft. wide, well graded and sidewalks.

Substantial business, blocks and beautiful private residences. The best C. P. R. garden between Montreal and Vancouver.

A C. P. R. round house, repair shops and employees to the number of 120. A Chemical engine for fire protection.

Every line of business, usually found in a country town.

An Electric light system equal to any city service.

Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist and Roman Catholic churches in charge of earnest, cultured and energetic pastors.

A Union School, with one High school department, one Intermediate and two Junior departments, with four properly qualified teachers.

One of the best grain and produce markets, west of Winnipeg.

An abundant supply of good water, for domestic or manufacturing purposes.

A surrounding district well adapted for grain raising and mixed farming.

WHAT MOOSE JAW HAS, AND WILL SOON HAVE.

A Town Hall, and Fire Hall.

A bridge across the river on Manitoba street.

A Flour mill.

A Woolen Factory.

An Elevator.

A railway out to the coal fields, south.

A Court House.

"THE BAND."

To the Editor of the Times.

Kindly allow me a small space to make a few remarks concerning our Band. I think when the band was organized they promised that they would endeavor to favor the citizens with music at least once a week by turning out and playing on the streets. I might say that this was, if not promised, at least expected from them by the citizens who so freely subscribed to assist them in purchasing their instruments and also to build a stand. Now I think, during this whole summer they have not played out more than half a dozen evenings. Why this is, the people would like to know as they still contribute to the maintenance of the band to a considerable amount. In an

indirect way, and I think the least the band boys can do is show their appreciation of this by turning out weekly. If the fault lies with Prof. Black why does not some of the officers, spare him a little. It is a known fact that he does not place the confidence in the boys that they deserve. Had his predecessor remained in charge of the Band they, I feel quite confident would have been ere this season second to none in the Territories, as he had confidence in them and forced them on while Prof. Black is the opposite. One thing in particular I notice that since Walker left, the boys have not made the faintest attempt to march while with Walker they were able to play and march before they were under his tuition six months. Boys get a move on and push to the front.

A WELL WISHER.

CARON.

The weather lately has not been very favorable for the rapid ripening of the grain, but some of the farmers have commenced to cut wheat and oats.

The mosquitoes are not quite so bad as they were and it is to be hoped that they will continually grow less.

Messrs. Chas. Coleman and A. Powell are erecting new granaries.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gass, of Moose Jaw are visiting at Caron this week.

Mr. Gass is setting up a number of binders in the district and all are giving good satisfaction.

School commenced again last week, after the summer holidays with Mr. T. J. Wilson in charge.

A number of the farmers of this district have been out north, for poles for stables.

Don't Miss it.

A new and attractive publication containing many useful, interesting and instructive features has just been issued by T. Milburn & Co., of Toronto, under the title of the Burdock Blood Bitters Almanac for 1891. It is now in the hands of the druggists and merchants for free distribution and we would promise our readers to secure a copy before the supply is exhausted.

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NOTICE.

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BI-LAW

NO.—

Of the Town of Moose Jaw

to Raise by Way of Loan

the Sum of

\$7000.00.

Whereas it is necessary and expedient to raise by way of loan the sum of \$7000.00 for the following purposes, namely: \$2500.00 to pay the balance on a chemical engine purchased by the said town and freight thereon; \$2000.00 for the erection of a two story brick building in the said town to accommodate the said engine and a caretaker therefor; and provision for a Council Chamber and Clerk and Treasurer's offices; and the second story thereof for a Public Hall; \$2500.00 for furnishing said building; and the balance for the construction of a bridge over the Moose Jaw Creek in the said town. And whereas the value of the rateable property of the said town according to the last revised assessment roll is \$196,630.43, and whereas it is deemed expedient that said loan shall be for the period of twenty years with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum payable half yearly; and whereas in order to discharge the said principal and interest accruing due on such debt as said debt and interest be respectively payable according to the terms of this By-law there will require to be raised each year of the said loan, the sum of seven hundred and seventy dollars; and whereas it will require an equal annual rate in addition to all other rates of four mills on the dollar in each and every year of the years 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, and 1910.

3. For the purposes aforesaid the Mayor of the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of Moose Jaw shall cause any number of debentures of the said Town of Moose Jaw to be made for such sums of money as may be required for the said purposes not less than one hundred dollars each and not exceeding in all the sum of seven thousand dollars and payable in twenty years from the day this By-law taken effect, which said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of Moose Jaw and signed by the Mayor or by such other person as may be hereafter authorized by the Mayor of the said Town of Moose Jaw, and countersigned by the Treasurer or by such other person or persons as the Council may hereafter by this By-law appoint.

4. That the debentures shall be made payable in twenty years from the day herein before mentioned for this By-law to take effect at the Bank of Montreal in the city of Winnipeg, Manitoba, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest at and after the rate of six per cent. per annum payable half yearly from the day of the date thereof.

And it is further enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of the Town of Moose Jaw that a poll shall be held and the votes of the electors entitled to vote on this By-law be taken on Saturday, the Fifth day of September, 1891, at the Council Chamber in the Town of Moose Jaw, commencing at the hour of nine o'clock in the morning and closing at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, and that the Returning Officer for taking the said vote shall be Seymour N. de P. Green.

The said Returning Officer shall sum up the number of votes for and against this By-law on the Seventh day of September, 1891, between the hours of ten and eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the Council Chamber.

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